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Louisiana Public Service Commission
Executive Secretary
Galvez Building, 12th Floor
602 North Fifth Street
P. O. Box 91154
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-9154
Attn: Lawrence C. St. Blanc

**Re: High Cost Certification of NPCR, Inc. ("Nextel Partners")
LPSC Docket No. U-27289**

Dear Mr. St. Blanc:

This certification is provided pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313 and 54.314. On behalf of NPCR, Inc.¹ ("Nextel Partners" or "Company"), I hereby certify, under penalty of perjury, that all high-cost universal service support provided to the Company for the 2007 calendar year will be used only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, pursuant to Section 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

The Louisiana Public Service Commission ("LPSC") issued Order No. U-27289 on June 29, 2004 designating the Company an eligible telecommunications carrier ("ETC") in the State of Louisiana. The Company was subsequently certified as an ETC with the FCC and USAC. The Company's eligibility to receive continued ETC support for the 2007 calendar year is dependent upon the LPSC providing re-certification of the Company's eligibility to the FCC and USAC on or before October 1, 2006. *See* 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313(d)(3)(i) and 54.314(d)(1).

Accordingly, the Company hereby requests that the LPSC transmit a letter to the FCC and USAC to provide for the certification. The letter will need to be received by the FCC and USAC on or before October 1, 2006 to be effective.

¹ In June 2006, Nextel Partners, Inc. and its subsidiaries, including NPCR, Inc., were acquired by Sprint Nextel Corporation. NPCR, Inc. is now a wholly owned subsidiary of Sprint Nextel Corporation. This filing relates only to NPCR, Inc.'s operations and provision of service in Louisiana.

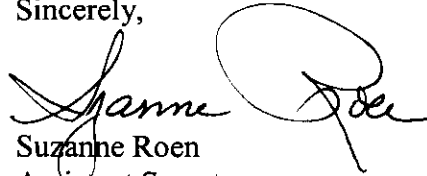
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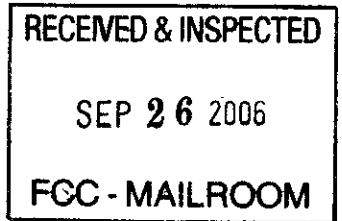
Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (425) 576-3600.

Sincerely,

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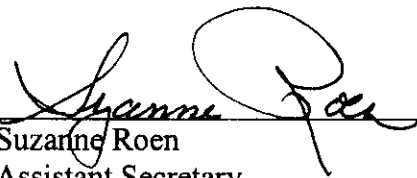
Suzanne Roen
Assistant Secretary

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
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COUNTY OF KING)



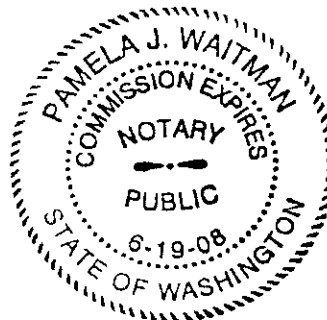
I certify, under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of Washington, that I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of NPCR, Inc. ("Nextel Partners") and that the foregoing is true and correct.

NPCR, INC. ("NEXTEL PARTNERS")

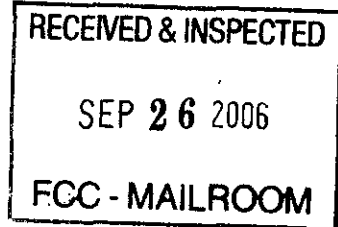
By: 
Suzanne Roen
Assistant Secretary

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 22 day of August, 2006.


Notary Public



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STATE OF ARKANSAS

COUNTY OF PULASKI


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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, appeared Gene Dejordy, who deposed and stated:

1. My name is Gene Dejordy. I am employed by Alltel Communications, Inc. and its Louisiana subsidiaries Alltel Communications Wireless, Inc. and Radiofone, Inc. as Vice President of Regulatory Affairs. I am an officer of Alltel Communications, Inc. and am authorized to give this affidavit on behalf of Alltel Communications, Inc., Alltel Communications Wireless, Inc. and Radiofone, Inc. This affidavit is being given to support the Louisiana Public Service Commission's certification as required by 47 CFR §54.313 and §54.314.
2. Alltel Communications, Inc. and its Louisiana subsidiaries Alltel Communications Wireless, Inc. and Radiofone, Inc. hereby certify that it will use all federal high-cost support it will receive only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to Section 254(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

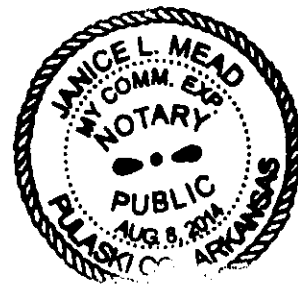
FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.


Gene Dejordy
Vice President Regulatory Affairs
Alltel Communications, Inc.

Subscribed and sworn before me this 30 day of August, 2006.


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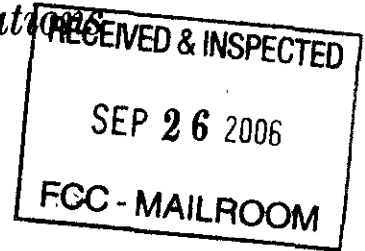
My Commission Expires: 8/8/2014
(Notary Seal)





KAPLAN Telephone Company, Inc.

PACE Cellular Communications



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State of Louisiana

Parish of Vermilion

BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, personally came and appeared:

Toney N. Turnley, President, for Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., dba Pace Communications, who is duly authorized to represent Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., dba Pace Communications who, being first sworn by me, did depose and declare:

- (1) Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., dba Pace Communications, is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a recipient of federal high cost support. Kaplan Telephone Co., Inc., dba Pace Communications uses such high cost support solely for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.


TONEY N. TURNLEY, President

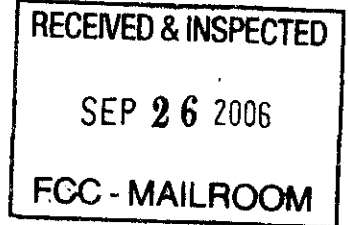
Sworn to and subscribed before me in the Parish of Vermilion, Louisiana, this
31st day of July, 2006.

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CARLA SUE MONIC, NOTARY PUBLIC

Kaplan Telephone Company, Inc.
118 North Irving Avenue
P. O. Box 369 • Kaplan, LA 70548
Phone: (337) 643-7171 • FAX: (337) 643-6000

Pace Cellular Communications
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**CINGULAR WIRELESS
ANNUAL ETC CERTIFICATION
For Calendar Year - 2007**



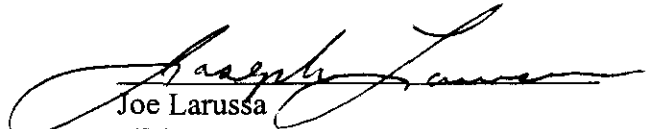
I, Joe Larussa, being of lawful age and duly sworn, state that I serve as Vice President/General Manager of the Gulf State Region for Cingular Wireless LLC, the manager of New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC, which is the managing general partner of Acadiana Cellular General Partnership and Lafayette MSA Limited Partnership, (all collectively "Acadiana Cellular General Partnership").

I hereby attest to the Louisiana Public Service Commission that I either have personal knowledge or information and belief of the facts stated herein:

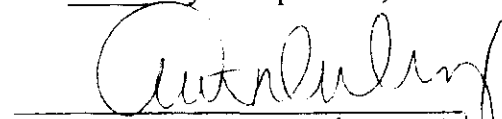
All funds received by Acadiana from the federal high cost universal service support fund will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Louisiana that the foregoing is true and correct.

Atlanta, GA
September 15, 2006


Joe Larussa
VP/GM
Gulf State Region

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 15 day of September, 2006.


Notary Public #12345



Together with Nextel.

September 1, 2006

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Re; High Cost Certification of Sprint Nextel Corporation (f/k/a Sprint Corporation) LPSC Docket No. 27509

Dear Mr. St. Blanc:

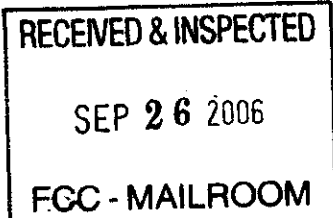
This certification, is provided pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313 and 54.314. For Sprint Nextel Corporation on behalf of its wireless affiliates, SprintCom, Inc., WirelessCo, L.P., and Sprint Spectrum, L.P. (collectively, "Sprint Nextel")¹, I hereby certify, under penalty of perjury, that all high-cost universal service support provided to Sprint Nextel for the 2007 calendar year will be used only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, pursuant to Section 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

The Louisiana Public Service Commission ("LPSC") issued Order No. U-27509 on July 22, 2004 designating Sprint Nextel an eligible telecommunications carrier ("ETC") in the State of Louisiana. Sprint Nextel was subsequently certified as an ETC with the FCC and USAC. Sprint Nextel's eligibility to receive continued ETC support for the 2007 calendar year is dependent upon the LPSC providing re-certification of Sprint Nextel's eligibility to the FCC and USAC on or before October 1, 2006. See 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313(d)(3)(i) and 54.314(d)(1).

Accordingly, Sprint Nextel hereby requests that the LPSC transmit a letter to the FCC and USAC to provide for the certification. The letter will need to be received by the FCC and USAC on or before October 1, 2006 to be effective².

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² On August 15, 2006, USAC issued a courtesy reminder to all states that October 1, 2006 fell on a Sunday, thus all certifications must be received by USAC and the FCC by September 29, 2006.

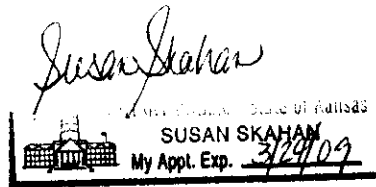


Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Should you have any questions please call Bill Atkinson at (404) 649-0001, or John Mitus at (913) 794-2213.

Sincerely

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Anthony G. Krueck



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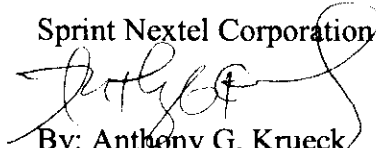
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STATE OF KANSAS)
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COUNTY OF JOHNSON)

I certify, under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of Kansas, that I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of Sprint Nextel and that the foregoing is true and, correct.

Sprint Nextel Corporation



By: Anthony G. Krueck
Vice President Product Development and
Management

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 1st day of September, 2006.



Notary Public

